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IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
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FOR: AZOLIDINONE-VINYL FUSED- :  
BENZENE DERIVATIVES

RESTRICTION RESPONSE

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SIR:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated March 6, 2007, Applicants elect, with traverse, Group I, Claims 1-37 (in part), drawn to methods of use, methods of preparation, compositions, and compounds of Formula I where X is S or O, Y<sup>1</sup> is S or O, and Y<sup>2</sup> is S or O, for examination.

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

The claims have been divided into groups as follows:

- Group I: Claims 1-37 (in part), drawn to methods of use, methods of preparation, compositions, and compounds of Formula I where X is S or O, Y<sup>1</sup> is S or O, and Y<sup>2</sup> is S or O.
- Group II: Claims 1-37 (in part), drawn to methods of use, methods of preparation, compositions, and compounds of Formula I where X is NH, Y<sup>1</sup> is S or O, and Y<sup>2</sup> is S or O.